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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the reference listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. The reference listed on Form PTO-1449 is the US equivalent of WO 02/064700 cited in an Office Action dated September 29, 2009 in a corresponding Japanese patent application. A copy of the Office Action is attached.

Inasmuch as the item filed herewith was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this submission, no fee is due.

It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that this reference be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees due to Deposit Account No. 19-4293.

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